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For MINE DOOR SYSTEM WITH TRIGGER-ACTUATED LATCH MECHANISM

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
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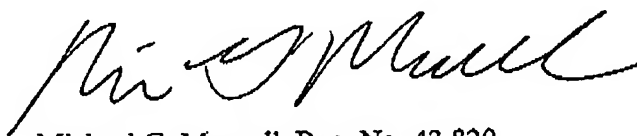
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated November 29, 2005, rejecting claims 1-3, 12-16 and 28-34.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the appeal fee of \$250 to Deposit Account No. 19-1345. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under payment or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,



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